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Table 1: Economy

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	1 410	1 237	1 010	1 217	1 109
Unemployment rate	%	8.3	6.8	5.5	6.9	6.1
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	4 700	4 835	5 039	5 019	-
Taxable individuals	no.	14 344	15 038	15 519	16 077	-
Taxable income	$m	473.1	517.7	571.5	611.8	-
Average taxable income	$	32 984	34 426	36 827	38 054	-
Net tax	$m	100.6	112.8	126.9	134.6	-
Average net tax	$	7 013	7 500	8 178	8 372	-
Average net tax ratio	%	21.3	21.8	22.2	22.0	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	11 355	11 800	12 119	12 538	-
Wage and salary income	$m	339.5	366.0	395.4	420.6	-
Total income	$m	360.4	388.4	421.0	446.7	-
Average wage and salary income	$	29 895	31 019	32 623	33 544	-
Average total income	$	31 736	32 912	34 737	35 629	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 045	1 141	1 154	1 198	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 127	1 126	1 124	1 198	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 340	1 355	1 394	1 405	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 403	1 440	1 454	1 496	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	723	777	809	888	-
Males - Total	no.	5 638	5 839	5 935	6 185	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 031	1 087	1 130	1 129	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 083	1 110	1 090	1 104	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 477	1 518	1 533	1 513	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 622	1 659	1 772	1 861	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	502	587	659	747	-
Females - Total	no.	5 715	5 961	6 184	6 354	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	2 076	2 228	2 284	2 327	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	2 210	2 236	2 214	2 302	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	2 817	2 873	2 927	2 918	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	3 025	3 099	3 226	3 357	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	1 225	1 364	1 468	1 635	-
Persons - Total	no.	11 353	11 800	12 119	12 539	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	812	818	906	-
Professionals	no.	-	2 478	2 518	2 586	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	963	989	1 002	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	1 134	1 117	1 190	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	353	318	302	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	2 148	2 169	2 213	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	596	591	631	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	1 382	1 439	1 485	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	1 051	1 035	1 110	-
Not Stated	no.	-	1 192	1 124	1 112	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	12 109	12 118	12 537	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	1 714	1 706	1 651	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	48.8	51.7	53.9	-	-
Total income	$m	52.3	56.1	58.7	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	28 483	30 318	32 673	-	-
Average total income	$	30 530	32 887	35 557	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	898	872	866	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	21.0	21.5	22.0	-	-
Total income	$m	24.1	25.5	25.9	-	-

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Average own unincorporated business income	$	23 356	24 661	25 381	-	-
Average total income	$	26 839	29 297	29 884	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	2 612	2 578	2 517	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	69.8	73.2	75.9	-	-
Total income	$m	76.4	81.7	84.6	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	26 720	28 405	30 164	-	-
Average total income	$	29 261	31 673	33 605	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	2 562	2 433	2 292	2 256
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	741	855	942	999
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	432	489	540	549
Total businesses	no.	-	3 735	3 777	3 774	3 804
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	429	351	369
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	195	213	159
Total business entries	no.	-	-	624	564	528
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	492	561	387
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	21	48	123
Total business exits	no.	-	-	513	609	510
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	696	681	669	678
Mining	no.	-	3	3	0	0
Manufacturing	no.	-	231	237	240	237
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	3	6	9	9
Construction	no.	-	627	651	630	654
Wholesale trade	no.	-	117	120	123	138
Retail trade	no.	-	426	447	453	444
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	135	135	138	141
Transport and storage	no.	-	144	165	135	141
Communication services	no.	-	18	18	18	15
Finance and insurance	no.	-	153	144	138	153
Property and business services	no.	-	771	783	816	807
Education	no.	-	24	15	18	21
Health and community services	no.	-	186	192	195	192
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	90	78	84	87
Personal and other services	no.	-	111	102	108	87
Total businesses	no.	-	3 735	3 777	3 774	3 804

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 132	1 110	1 103	1 073	1 081
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 301	1 300	1 293	1 298	1 291
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 469	1 485	1 478	1 455	1 440
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 396	1 363	1 329	1 341	1 381
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	913	955	976	993	993
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	896	898	905	903	912
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 009	1 030	1 033	1 024	1 014
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 236	1 214	1 174	1 147	1 186
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 392	1 398	1 429	1 415	1 386
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 453	1 435	1 398	1 440	1 464
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 455	1 476	1 524	1 513	1 475
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 147	1 253	1 307	1 354	1 430
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	933	953	984	1 029	1 084
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	821	821	845	889	918
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	866	836	807	779	761
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	753	763	778	771	763
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	491	527	554	569	582
Males - 85 years and over	no.	276	308	329	362	371
Males - Total	no.	18 939	19 125	19 246	19 355	19 532
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 105	1 134	1 117	1 077	1 048
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 266	1 211	1 202	1 225	1 250
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 348	1 385	1 388	1 366	1 412
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 250	1 245	1 265	1 310	1 288
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	820	879	912	911	952
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	914	876	851	848	832
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 141	1 151	1 118	1 096	1 091
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 297	1 293	1 280	1 309	1 363
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 585	1 580	1 561	1 513	1 437
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 590	1 614	1 631	1 611	1 633
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 417	1 447	1 487	1 530	1 601
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 151	1 231	1 289	1 358	1 416
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	979	1 003	1 035	1 084	1 129
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	935	929	970	994	1 018
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	974	968	929	902	870
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	962	947	950	963	943
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	650	689	721	743	775
Females - 85 years and over	no.	551	585	614	646	676
Females - Total	no.	19 935	20 167	20 320	20 486	20 734
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	2 237	2 244	2 220	2 150	2 129
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	2 567	2 511	2 495	2 523	2 541
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	2 817	2 870	2 866	2 821	2 852
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	2 646	2 608	2 594	2 651	2 669
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 733	1 834	1 888	1 904	1 945
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 810	1 774	1 756	1 751	1 744
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	2 150	2 181	2 151	2 120	2 105
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	2 533	2 507	2 454	2 456	2 549
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	2 977	2 978	2 990	2 928	2 823
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	3 043	3 049	3 029	3 051	3 097
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	2 872	2 923	3 011	3 043	3 076
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	2 298	2 484	2 596	2 712	2 846
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 912	1 956	2 019	2 113	2 213
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	1 756	1 750	1 815	1 883	1 936
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	1 840	1 804	1 736	1 681	1 631
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	1 715	1 710	1 728	1 734	1 706
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	1 141	1 216	1 275	1 312	1 357
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	827	893	943	1 008	1 047
Persons - Total	no.	38 874	39 292	39 566	39 841	40 266
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	83.0
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	2.8
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	1.8
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	5.6
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	0.7
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.3
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.2

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Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.7
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	10.2
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	2.5
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	1.8
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	1.5
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	10.3
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	7.5
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	19.7
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	12.2
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	53.0
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	14.2
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	19.3
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	14.6
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.9
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	12.7
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	11.8
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	4.5
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	11.5
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	1.5
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	4 082
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	591
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	10 451
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	15 120
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	3 319
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	670
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	4 669
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	1 328
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	488
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	133
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	10 607
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	30 299
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	6 048
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	18 803
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	13 423
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	100.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	77.9
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	1.6
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	20.5
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	25.0
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	20.1
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	7.3
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.3
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	12.8
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	33.4
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	25.1
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	58.9

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BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	410	355	396	348	380
Total fertility rate	rate	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8
Deaths	no.	353	363	347	375	381
Standardised death rate	rate	5.8	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.8
NUMBER OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS - year ended 31 December						
Homicide	no.	-	-	-	0	n.p.
Assault - Domestic violence related	no.	-	-	-	155	175
Assault - Not domestic violence related	no.	-	-	-	265	264
Sexual offences	no.	-	-	-	85	57
Robbery - Without a weapon	no.	-	-	-	7	10
Robbery - With a firearm	no.	-	-	-	0	0
Robbery - With a weapon not a firearm	no.	-	-	-	4	5
Break and enter - Dwelling	no.	-	-	-	271	233
Break and enter - Non-dwelling	no.	-	-	-	153	253
Motor vehicle theft	no.	-	-	-	78	78
Steal from motor vehicle	no.	-	-	-	255	227
Steal from retail store	no.	-	-	-	86	67
Steal from dwelling	no.	-	-	-	201	202
Steal from person	no.	-	-	-	19	34
Driving offences	no.	-	-	-	3 229	3 067
Fraud	no.	-	-	-	163	119
Malicious damage to property	no.	-	-	-	571	582
Drugs - Possession and/or use	no.	-	-	-	41	51
Drugs - Dealing, trafficking	no.	-	-	-	3	n.p.
APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS ISSUED - year ended 31 December						
Number		-	-	-	125	103
Domestic	no.	-	-	-	53	46
Personal	no.	-	-	-	178	149
Total	no.					
Rate per 100,000 population						
Domestic	rate	-	-	-	314.8	256.9
Personal	rate	-	-	-	133.5	114.7
Total	rate	-	-	-	448.2	371.7
DRIVERS LICENCE HOLDERS - year ended 30 June						
Number holding licence	no.	25 835	26 323	26 729	27 090	27 443
Proportion of population aged 16 years and over	%	84.2	84.6	85.2	85.6	85.3

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	279	226	172	121	132
Total dwelling units	no.	383	293	335	243	544
Value of total residential building	$m	62.2	54.9	71.2	59.1	115.1
Value of total non-residential building	$m	17.6	26.6	16.5	13.4	48.9
Value of total building	$m	79.8	81.6	87.7	72.5	164.1
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	631	745	757	844	841
Other vehicles	no.	433	505	569	609	618
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	1 064	1 251	1 326	1 453	1 459
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	18 063	18 655	19 261	19 936	20 175
Campervans	no.	115	115	127	127	136
Light commercial vehicles	no.	3 368	3 494	3 498	3 600	3 771
Light rigid trucks	no.	117	112	119	127	139
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	364	370	370	397	415
Articulated trucks	no.	39	39	35	36	34
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	14	14	11	11	15
Buses	no.	102	101	108	98	115
Motorcycles	no.	713	727	741	791	873
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	22 896	23 628	24 271	25 121	25 674
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	465	475	487	500	501
Campervans	no.	3	3	3	3	3
Light commercial vehicles	no.	87	89	88	90	94
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	3	3	3	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	9	9	9	10	10
Articulated trucks	no.	1	1	1	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	0	0	0	0
Buses	no.	3	3	3	2	3
Motorcycles	no.	18	19	19	20	22
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	589	601	613	631	638
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	4 163	3 560	3 043	2 542	2 034
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	16 221	17 386	18 480	19 692	20 484
Diesel	no.	2 279	2 448	2 529	2 668	2 908
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	234	234	219	219	248
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	31 401.9
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	57.6
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	63.2
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	4 160.8
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	4 338.7
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	8 181.8
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	147
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	497
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	10 428
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	10

* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

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LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	484.9

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